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**CORRECTED DECISION**

This is a decision on the Petition to Defer Issue, filed February 14, 2005.

The petition is **DISMISSED as moot**.

Since this petition is dismissed as moot, the petition fee of \$130 is being credited to Deposit Account No. 11-1445 as authorized.

**The decision mailed March 8, 2005 is hereby vacated as of the mail date of this decision.**

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